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C O N F I D E N T I A L THE HAGUE 1055

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, NL

SUBJECT: LOS: GROUP OF TWELVE MEETING ON MARINE POLLUTION

REFS: (A) STATE 040188 (B) STATE 024686

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1. SUMMARY: GON PREFERS PAARIS VENUE AND WILL BE REPRESENTED AT

MEETING BUT WONDERS WHETHER FIVE DAYS NECESSARY. END SUMMARY.

2. IN ACCORDANCE REF (B) EMBOFF FIRST INQUIRED WHETHER GON WOULD BE REPRESENTED AT GROUP OF TWELVE MEETING FEB 8. DESPITE REPEATED PRODDING, MFA DECLINED INDICATE WHO WOULD ATTEND NEW YORK MEETING. WHEN EMBOFF INFORMED MFA OF POSSIBLE PARIS VENUE TODAY (MAR 1), LOS ACTION OFFICER (WALKATE) SAID HIS GOVERNMENT MUCH PREFERRED PARIS LOCATION. HE SAID FRANKLY TRAVEL COSTS HAD BEEN MAJOR FACTOR IN DELAYING DUTCH DECISION ON WHETHER SEND REPRESENTATIVE TO NEW YORK. FYI: WALKATE SAID GON HAD BEEN CONSIDERING DESIGNATING MEMBER DUTCH UN DELEGATION AS REPRESENTATIVE AT GROUP OF TWELVE MEETING. END FYI. WALKATE SAID MFA WONDERS WHETHER FIVE DAYS MIGHT NOT BE TOO LONG FOR MEETING ENVISAGED. FROM EXPERIENCE IN NINE, GON HAS FOUND TWO OR THREE DAYS AMPLE TIME. EMBOFF PROMISED BRING THIS GON RESERVATION TO DEPARTMENT'S ATTENTION. AS SOON AS PARIS SITE CONFIRMED, MFA WILL DESIGNATE REPRESENTATIVES AND PROVIDE COMMENTS ON POSSIBLE LDC REPRESENTATION AND AGENDA. GOULD

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